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**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT  
ON HJR GG**

The State Board of Education (SBE) opposes House Joint Resolution GG, which would amend the State Constitution to require that the SBE would be elected by single-member districts, rather than statewide. Electing members of the State Board of Education on a statewide basis ensures that members focus on the best interest of all students in the State of Michigan.

Adopted June 17, 2014

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